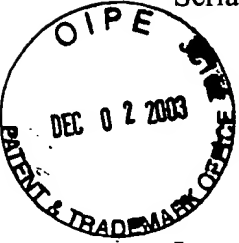


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Sir:

In response to the office action dated September 2, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

A check in the amount of \$18.00 is attached hereto for the net addition of one claim. Applicants submit no additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application. If such extensions of time are needed, Applicants hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-1951.

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